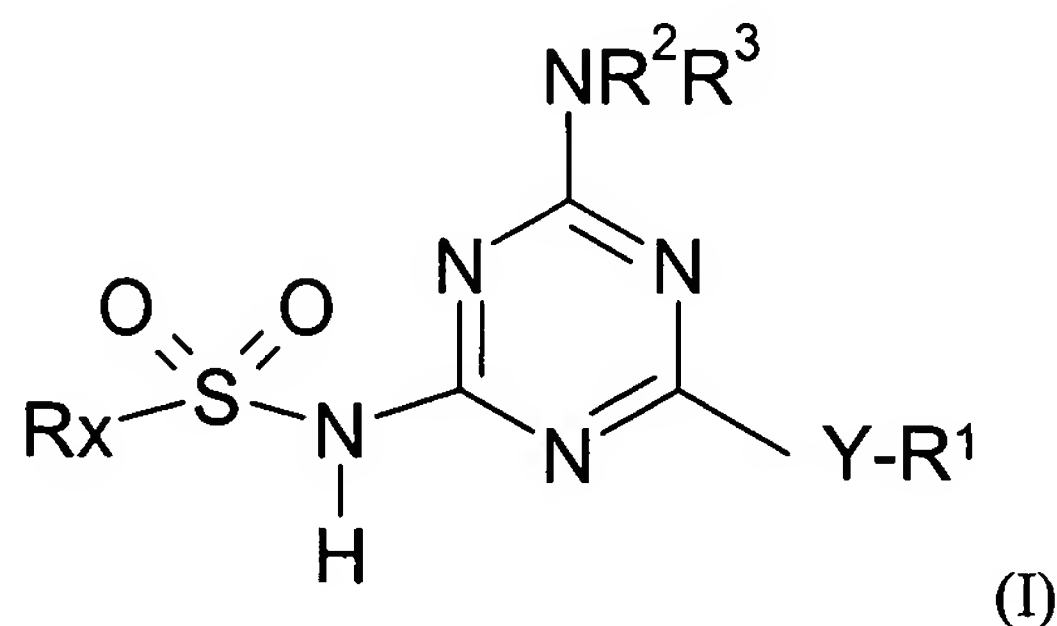


IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (**currently amended**): A compound of formula (1), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof:



wherein

Y is selected from a bond, -S-, -O-, -NR⁵-, -CF₂-CH₂-, -CF₂CF₂-, -CONR⁵-, phenyl or heteroaryl; ~~heteroaryl; wherein~~

R¹ is a group selected from C₃₋₇carbocyclyl, C₁₋₈alkyl, C₂₋₆alkenyl and C₂₋₆alkynyl; which ~~wherein the~~ group is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from fluoro, nitrile, -OR⁴, -NR⁵R⁶, -CONR⁵R⁶, -COOR⁷, -NR⁸COR⁹, -SR¹⁰, -SO₂R¹⁰, -SO₂NR⁵R⁶, -NR⁸SO₂R⁹, phenyl or heteroaryl; and wherein phenyl and heteroaryl are optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from halo, cyano, nitro, -OR⁴, -NR⁵R⁶, -CONR⁵R⁶, -COOR⁷, -NR⁸COR⁹, -SR¹⁰, -SO₂R¹⁰, -SO₂NR⁵R⁶, -NR⁸SO₂R⁹, C₁₋₆alkyl and trifluoromethyl; ~~wherein~~

R² is C₃₋₇carbocyclyl, optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from fluoro, -OR⁴, -NR⁵R⁶, -CONR⁵R⁶, -COOR⁷, -NR⁸COR⁹, -SR¹⁰, -SO₂R¹⁰, -SO₂NR⁵R⁶, -NR⁸SO₂R⁹;

or R² is a 3-8 membered ring optionally containing 1, 2 or 3 atoms selected from O, S, -NR⁸ and ~~whereby the~~ which ring is optionally substituted by C₁₋₃alkyl or fluoro;

or R² is a phenyl or heteroaryl, each of which is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from halo, cyano, nitro, -OR⁴, -NR⁵R⁶, -CONR⁵R⁶, -NR⁸COR⁹, -SO₂NR⁵R⁶, -NR⁸SO₂R⁹, C₁₋₆alkyl and trifluoromethyl;

or R² is a group selected from C₁₋₈alkyl, C₂₋₆alkenyl or C₂₋₆alkynyl, which ~~wherein the~~ group is substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from hydroxy, amino, C₁-

C_{1-6} alkoxy, C_{1-6} alkylamino, $\text{di}(\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl})\text{amino}$, $N-(\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl})-N-(\text{phenyl})\text{amino}$, $N-\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkylcarbamoyl}$, $N,N-\text{di}(\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl})\text{carbamoyl}$, $N-(\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl})-N-(\text{phenyl})\text{carbamoyl}$, carboxy, phenoxycarbonyl, $-\text{NR}^8\text{COR}^9$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{R}^{10}$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}^5\text{R}^6$ and $-\text{NR}^8\text{SO}_2\text{R}^9$; ~~wherein~~
 R^3 is hydrogen or independently R^2 ;

R^4 is hydrogen or a group selected from $\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl}$ and phenyl, which ~~wherein the~~ group is optionally substituted by 1 or 2 substituents independently selected from halo, phenyl, $-\text{OR}^{11}$ and $-\text{NR}^{12}\text{R}^{13}$;

R^5 and R^6 are independently hydrogen or a group selected from $\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl}$ and phenyl, which ~~wherein the~~ group is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from halo, phenyl, $-\text{OR}^{14}$, $-\text{NR}^{15}\text{R}^{16}$, $-\text{COOR}^{14}$, $-\text{CONR}^{15}\text{R}^{16}$, $-\text{NR}^{15}\text{COR}^{16}$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{R}^{10}$, $-\text{SONR}^{15}\text{R}^{16}$ and $\text{NR}^{15}\text{SO}_2\text{R}^{16}$;

or R^5 and R^6 together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached form a 4- to 7-membered saturated heterocyclic ring system optionally containing a further heteroatom selected from oxygen and nitrogen atoms, which ring is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from phenyl, $-\text{OR}^{14}$, $-\text{COOR}^{14}$, $-\text{NR}^{15}\text{R}^{16}$, $-\text{CONR}^{15}\text{R}^{16}$, $-\text{NR}^{15}\text{COR}^{16}$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{R}^{10}$, $-\text{SONR}^{15}\text{R}^{16}$, $\text{NR}^{15}\text{SO}_2\text{R}^{16}$ or $\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl}$ (optionally substituted by 1 or 2 substituents independently selected from halo, $-\text{NR}^{15}\text{R}^{16}$ and $-\text{OR}^{17}$ groups);

R^{10} is hydrogen or a group selected from $\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl}$ or phenyl, which ~~wherein the~~ group is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from halo, phenyl, $-\text{OR}^{17}$ and $-\text{NR}^{15}\text{R}^{16}$; ~~and~~ each of R^7 , R^8 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} , R^{14} , R^{15} , R^{16} , R^{17} is independently hydrogen, $\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl}$ or phenyl;

R^x is trifluoromethyl, $-\text{NR}^5\text{R}^6$, phenyl, naphthyl, monocyclic or bicyclic heteroaryl, which ~~wherein a~~ heteroring may be partially or fully saturated and one or more ring carbon atoms may form a carbonyl group, and wherein each phenyl or heteroaryl group is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from halo, cyano, nitro, $-\text{OR}^4$, $-\text{NR}^5\text{R}^6$, $-\text{CONR}^5\text{R}^6$, $-\text{COR}^7$, $-\text{COOR}^7$, $-\text{NR}^8\text{COR}^9$, $-\text{SR}^{10}$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{R}^{10}$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}^5\text{R}^6$, $-\text{NR}^8\text{SO}_2\text{R}^9$, $\text{C}_{1-6}\text{alkyl}$ or trifluoromethyl;

or R^x is a group selected from $\text{C}_{3-7}\text{carbocyclyl}$, $\text{C}_{1-8}\text{alkyl}$, $\text{C}_{2-6}\text{alkenyl}$ and $\text{C}_{2-6}\text{alkynyl}$, which ~~whereby the~~ group is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from halo, $-\text{OR}^4$, $-\text{NR}^5\text{R}^6$, $-\text{CONR}^5\text{R}^6$, $-\text{COR}^7$, $-\text{COOR}^7$, $-\text{NR}^8\text{COR}^9$, $-\text{SR}^{10}$,

-SO₂R¹⁰, -SO₂NR⁵R⁶, -NR⁸SO₂R⁹, phenyl or heteroaryl, and wherein each phenyl or heteroaryl group is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from halo, cyano, nitro, -OR⁴, -NR⁵R⁶, -CONR⁵R⁶, -COR⁷, -COOR⁷, -NR⁸COR⁹, -SR¹⁰, -SO₂R¹⁰, -SO₂NR⁵R⁶, -NR⁸SO₂R⁹, C₁₋₆alkyl or trifluoromethyl. ~~trifluoromethyl~~;

Claim 2 (**original**): A compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof according to claim 1 wherein R² is C₁₋₈alkyl optionally substituted by 1 or 2 hydroxy substituents.

Claim 3 (**original**): A compound, pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof according to claim 1 wherein R¹ is benzyl or -CH₂CH₂OPh, or CH₂CH₂Ph wherein in each case the phenyl ring is optionally substituted by 1, 2 or 3 substituents independently selected from fluoro, chloro, bromo, methoxy, methyl and trifluoromethyl.

Claim 4 (**currently amended**): A compound, pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof according to claim 1 wherein R³ is hydrogen.

Claim 5 (**currently amended**): A compound, pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof according to claim 1 wherein Y is selected from a bond, -S-, and -CF₂-CH₂- and -CH₂-CH₂-.

Claim 6 (**currently amended**): A compound, pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof according to claim 1 wherein R^x is methyl, 1-methylimidazolyl, 1,2-dimethylimidazolyl, *N,N*-dimethylamino, azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, morpholinyl, piperidiny and trifluoroethyl. ~~trifluoromethyl~~

Claim 7 (**currently amended**): A compound selected from the group consisting of:

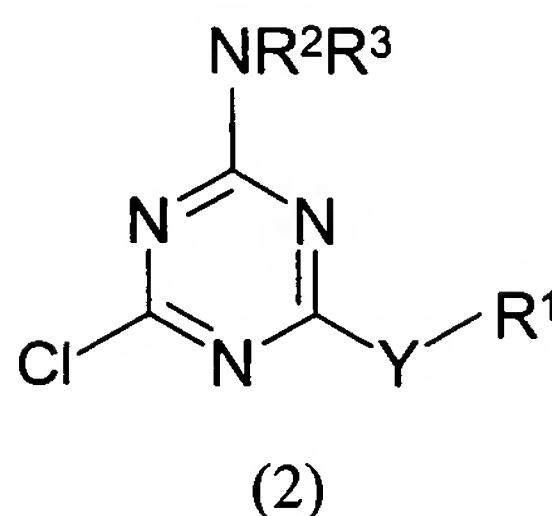
N-[4-[(2,3-difluorophenyl)methyl]thio]-6-[(1*R*)-2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl]amino]-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]-methanesulfonamide; ~~and~~
N-[4-[(2,3-difluorophenyl)methyl]thio]-6-[(1*R*)-2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl]amino]-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]-1-azetidinesulfonamide;
N-[4-[(2,3-difluorophenyl)methyl]thio]-6-[(1*R*)-2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl]amino]-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]-methanesulfonamide;
N-[4-[(2,3-difluorophenyl)methyl]thio]-6-[(1*R*)-2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl]amino]-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]-1-azetidinesulfonamide;
4-morpholinesulfonamide, *N*-[4-[(2,3-difluorophenyl)methyl]thio]-6-[(1*R*)-2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl]amino]-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]-;
methanesulfonamide, *N*-[4-[2-(2,3-difluorophenoxy)ethyl]thio]-6-[(1*R*)-2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl]amino]-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]-; and
methanesulfonamide, 1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-[4-[(1*R*)-2-hydroxy-1-methylethyl]amino]-6-(2-phenylethyl)-1,3,5-triazin-2-yl]-;
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof.

Claims 8-13 (**cancelled**).

Claim 14 (**currently amended**): A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof according to claim 1, ~~any one of claims 1 to 7~~; and a pharmaceutically-acceptable diluent or carrier.

Claim 15 (**currently amended**): A process for the preparation of a compound according to claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof, which comprises the steps of:

treating a compound of formula (2):



wherein Y, R¹, R² and R³ are as defined in claim 1, ~~formula (1)~~ with a sulfonamide of formula R^xSO₂NH₂ where R^x is as defined in claim 1 ~~formula (1)~~;

and optionally thereafter, one or more of steps (i), (ii), (iii), (iv), or (v) in any order:

- i) removing any protecting groups;
- ii) converting the compound of formula (1) into a further compound of formula (1);
- iii) forming a salt;
- iv) forming a prodrug;
- v) forming an *in vivo* hydrolysable ester.

Claim 16 (**currently amended**): A combination therapy which comprises administering a compound of formula (1) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof, or a pharmaceutical composition or formulation comprising a compound of formula (1), concurrently or sequentially with other therapy and/or another pharmaceutical agent.

Claim 17 (**currently amended**): ~~A~~ The combination therapy as claimed in claim 16 for the treatment of asthma, allergic rhinitis, COPD, inflammatory bowel disease, irritable bowel syndrome, osteoarthritis, osteoporosis, rheumatoid arthritis, or psoriasis.

Claim 18 (**currently amended**): ~~A~~ The combination therapy as claimed in claim 16 for the treatment of cancer.

Claim 19 (**currently amended**): A pharmaceutical composition which comprises a compound of formula (1) according to claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof, in conjunction with another pharmaceutical agent.

Claims 20-21 (**cancelled**).

Claim 22 (**new**): A method of treating a disease or medical condition selected from asthma, allergic rhinitis, COPD, inflammatory bowel disease, osteoarthritis, osteoporosis, rheumatoid arthritis, or psoriasis in a warm-blooded animal in need thereof, the method comprising administering to said animal an effective amount of a compound of claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof.

Claim 23 (**new**): A method of treating cancer in a warm-blooded animal in need thereof, the method comprising administering to said animal an effective amount of a compound of claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof.

Claim 24 (**new**): A method of treating a disease or medical condition mediated by the modulation of chemokine receptor activity, the method comprising administering to said animal an effective amount of a compound of claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, solvate or *in vivo* hydrolysable ester thereof.